

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Sprint Docket No. 1776)**

Furthermore, Applicants submit that the reasons for allowance are clear from the record of prosecution as a whole and, thus, that a separate statement of reasons for allowance is unnecessary in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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